

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel claims 5 - 8 and 21 - 24 without prejudice.

Please substitute the following claims for the pending claims with the same number:

1 1. (currently amended) A method for altering text displayed in a formatted  
2 page, comprising:  
3 locating a buffer of memory locations containing contents of a  
4 formatted page;  
5 locating a text string between two markers within the buffer;  
6 replacing the text string with an alternate text string; and  
7 ~~inserting special fill characters in a Unicode U+200E character~~  
8 in front of the alternate text, and inserting Unicode U+200F characters in front of  
9 the U+200E character for the rest of the unfilled memory locations between the  
10 markers.

1 2. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein the text string is stored as a  
2 sequence of Unicode characters.

1 3. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein each marker is a Unicode  
2 U+FFFE character.

1 4. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein each marker is a Unicode  
2 U+FDEF character.

1 5. (canceled)

1 6. (canceled)

1 7. (canceled)

1 8. (canceled)

1 9. (original) The method of claim 1 wherein the formatted page is a web  
2 page.

1           10. (original)    The method of claim 9 wherein the web page is an HTML page.

1           11. (original)    The method of claim 9 wherein the web page is an XML page.

1           12. (original)    The method of claim 1 wherein the formatted page is a  
2 document page.

1           13. (original)    The method of claim 12 wherein the document page is a PDF  
2 document page.

1           14. (original)    The method of claim 12 wherein the document page is a Word  
2 document page.

1           15. (original)    The method of claim 1 wherein the text string contains  
2 encrypted text and the alternate text string contains decrypted text.

1           16. (original)    The method of claim 15 further comprising determining a  
2 display page layout based on the contents of the buffer.

1           17. (currently amended)   A system for altering text displayed in a formatted  
2 page, comprising:  
3                           a buffer of memory locations containing contents of a formatted  
4 page;  
5                           a search processor locating a text string between two markers  
6 within the buffer; and  
7                           a text processor replacing the text string with an alternate text  
8 string and inserting ~~special fill characters in a~~ Unicode U+200E character in  
9 front of the alternate text, and inserting Unicode U+200F characters in front of  
10 the U+200E character for the rest of the unfilled memory locations between the  
11 markers.

1           18. (original)    The system of claim 17 wherein the text string is stored as a  
2 sequence of Unicode characters.

1           19. (original)    The system of claim 17 wherein each marker is a Unicode  
2 U+FFFE character.

1 20. (original) The system of claim 17 wherein each marker is a Unicode  
2 U+FDEF character.

1 21. (canceled)

1 22. (canceled)

1 23. (canceled)

1 24. (canceled)

1 25. (original) The system of claim 17 wherein the formatted page is a web  
2 page.

1 26. (original) The system of claim 25 wherein the web page is an HTML  
2 page.

1 27. (original) The system of claim 25 wherein the web page is an XML page.

1 28. (original) The system of claim 17 wherein the formatted page is a  
2 document page.

1 29. (original) The system of claim 28 wherein the document page is a PDF  
2 document page.

1 30. (original) The system of claim 28 wherein the document page is a Word  
2 document page.

1 31. (original) The system of claim 17 wherein the text string contains  
2 encrypted text and the alternate text string contains decrypted text.

1 32. (original) The system of claim 31 further comprising a display layout  
2 processor determining a display page layout based on the contents of the buffer.